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-- EXPEDITED PROCEDURE --  
EXAMINING GROUP 2654**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

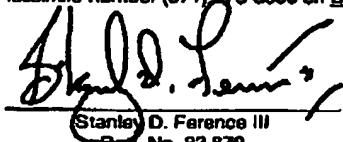
In re Application of : Padmanabhan et al.  
Serial No. : 09/670,251 Examiner : M. Lerner  
Filed : September 26, 2000 Art Unit : 2654  
For : LATTICE-BASED UNSUPERVISED MAXIMUM  
LIKELIHOOD LINEAR REGRESSION FOR  
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**SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 1, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.



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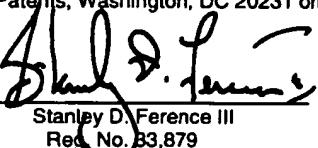
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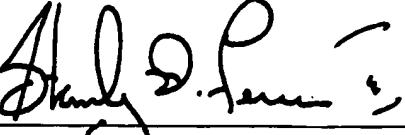
  
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Sir:

Applicants submit herewith two (2) sheets of formal drawings for the above-identified application. Please substitute the enclosed formal drawings for the informal drawings filed with the application.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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